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REPORT SOVIET GENERAL, CITIZEN IN KEY POSTS
IN HUNGARIAN DEFENSE, FOOD MINISTRIES

SOVIET GENERAL DIRECTS DEFENSE MINISTRY -- Munich, Hungaria, 30 Nov 51

At present the Soviet general Vyacheslav Tsvetayev is the real power in the Hungarian Ministry of Defense at Budapest. All important military decisions are made by him or in his name, and Hungarian Minister of Defense Mihaly Farkas obeys the Soviet general's orders.

Before publication of important military decisions, Tsvetayev's approval must be obtained. In many instances, the Soviet general, completely disregarding Defense Minister Farkas, has issued direct orders to the various departments of the ministry.

APPOINT SOVIET CITIZEN MINISTER OF FOOD INDUSTRIES -- Munich, Hungaria, 18 Jan 52

Ivan Altomare, newly appointed Hungarian Minister of Food Industries, is a Soviet citizen who has for years unofficially directed the Sovietization of the Hungarian food industry, especially of the canned-food factories.

Prior to his appointments, Altomare was Deputy Minister of the former Ministry of Food.

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